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**From:** Suchomel, Bruce [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=5D10AB19633E41ACAFF3030CB7BC68A5-SUCHOMEL, BRUCE]  
**Sent:** 9/23/2016 7:22:49 PM  
**To:** Heimerl, Casey [Casey.Heimerl@state.sd.us]  
**Subject:** RE: NLEB/Rufa Red Knot

Thank you.

Bruce

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**From:** Heimerl, Casey [mailto:Casey.Heimerl@state.sd.us]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2016 1:00 PM  
**To:** Suchomel, Bruce <Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: NLEB/Rufa Red Knot

Hi Bruce,

We do not have any documented records of Rufa Red Knot in South Dakota.

I do not know off-hand who the contact would be in Utah but I would try looking on this site:  
<http://dwrcdc.nr.utah.gov/ucdc/>

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**From:** Suchomel, Bruce [mailto:Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 22, 2016 2:28 PM  
**To:** Heimerl, Casey  
**Subject:** RE: NLEB/Rufa Red Knot

Casey, can you check for the Rufa Red Knot in the project area? Thanks – it should not be close to this area, but it's listed as a threatened species, so I thought I should check. It's predominantly an east coast and arctic bird. Thanks.

Also, do you have a contact in Utah that performs the same function as you in that state? I have a project there, too.

Thank you for your assistance.

Bruce

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**From:** Heimerl, Casey [mailto:Casey.Heimerl@state.sd.us]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 16, 2016 10:03 AM  
**To:** Suchomel, Bruce <Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: NLEB - Hibernacula

Hi Bruce,

I did not find any documented records of the species you mentioned within your project area.

~Casey

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**From:** Suchomel, Bruce [mailto:Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 16, 2016 10:26 AM  
**To:** Heimerl, Casey  
**Subject:** RE: NLEB - Hibernacula

Casey, could you also check your database for the presence of the Whooping Crane and Black-Footed Ferret for the same area?

Thanks.

Bruce

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**From:** Heimerl, Casey [<mailto:Casey.Heimerl@state.sd.us>]

**Sent:** Friday, September 16, 2016 8:42 AM

**To:** Suchomel, Bruce <[Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov](mailto:Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: NLEB - Hibernacula

Hi Bruce,

Would you happen to have a map or shapefile of the project area?

~Casey

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**From:** Suchomel, Bruce [<mailto:Suchomel.Bruce@epa.gov>]

**Sent:** Friday, September 16, 2016 9:28 AM

**To:** Heimerl, Casey

**Subject:** NLEB - Hibernacula

Hello Casey,

I'm checking with you to see if there is any known hibernacula and/or maternity roost trees for the Northern Long-Eared Bat in the Dewey-Burdock project area of South Dakota, which straddles both sides of the county line of Fall River and Custer counties.

This will help with our Endangered Species analysis. Thank you for your assistance.

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